

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

<i>In re</i> Application of:	§	Confirmation Number: 3406
Mark Leslie Smythe <i>et al.</i>	§	
	§	Examiner: KAM, Chih-Min
Application Number: 09/806,036	§	
	§	Group Art Unit: 1656
Filed: July 5, 2001	§	
	§	Attorney Docket No.: 36677.29
For: SYNTHESIS OF CYCLIC PEPTIDES	§	

1. AMENDMENT; 2. RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 28, 2007

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendment. A response to the Official Action dated March 28, 2007 ("the Action") in the present application, for which the first date for response was June 28, 2007, is also submitted; the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the remarks therein. A Petition for Extension of Time of Three Months to and including September 28, 2007, which is within the statutory period for reply, is included to render the amendment and response timely-submitted. Applicants believe that the present materials place all claims in condition for allowance; reexamination and reconsideration on that basis is respectfully requested. Should any fees be deemed necessary for any reason in connection with the present submission, including the Extension of Time Fee, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any necessary amounts from Deposit Account No. 08-1394, Order No. 36677.29.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 17 of this paper.